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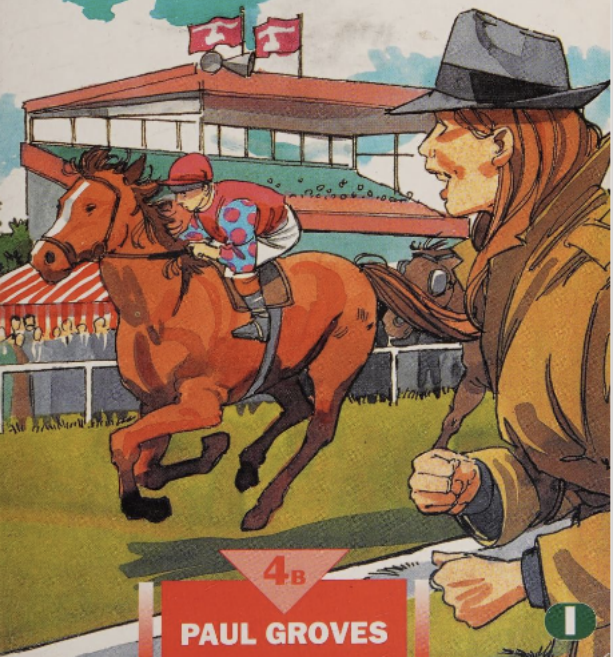

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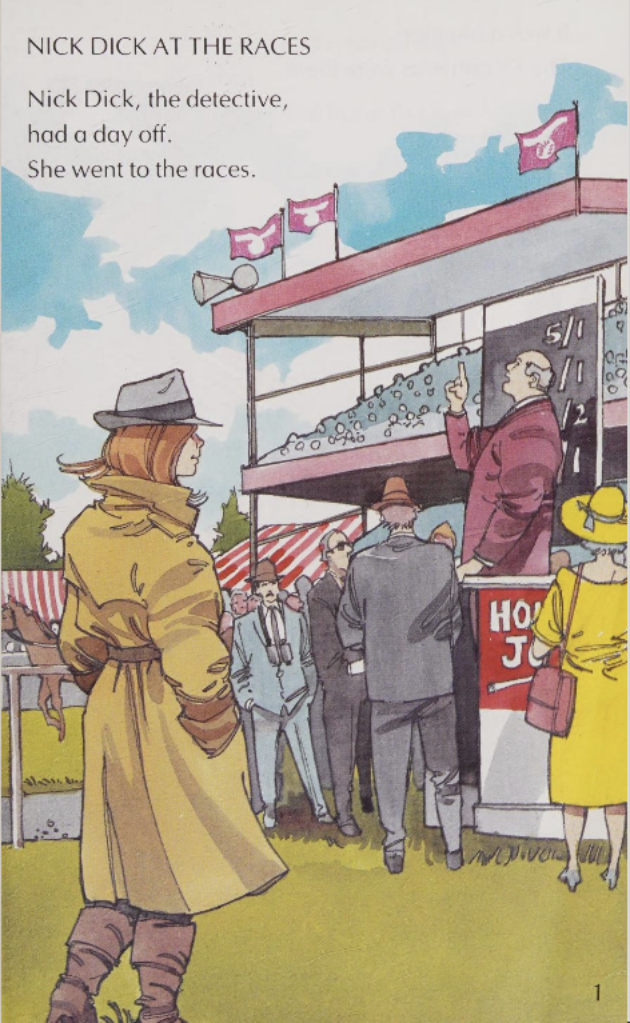
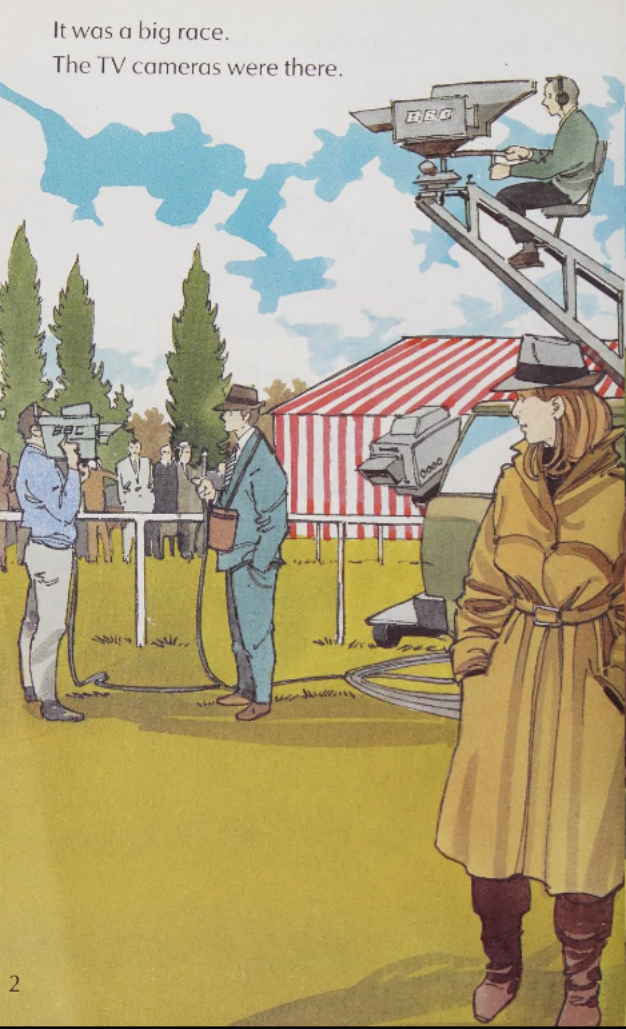
NICK DICK AT THE RACES

Nick Dick, the detective,
had a day off.
She went to the races.



It was a big race.
The TV cameras were there.



Nick Dick had a bet on the big race.
She picked the horse Big Ben to win.

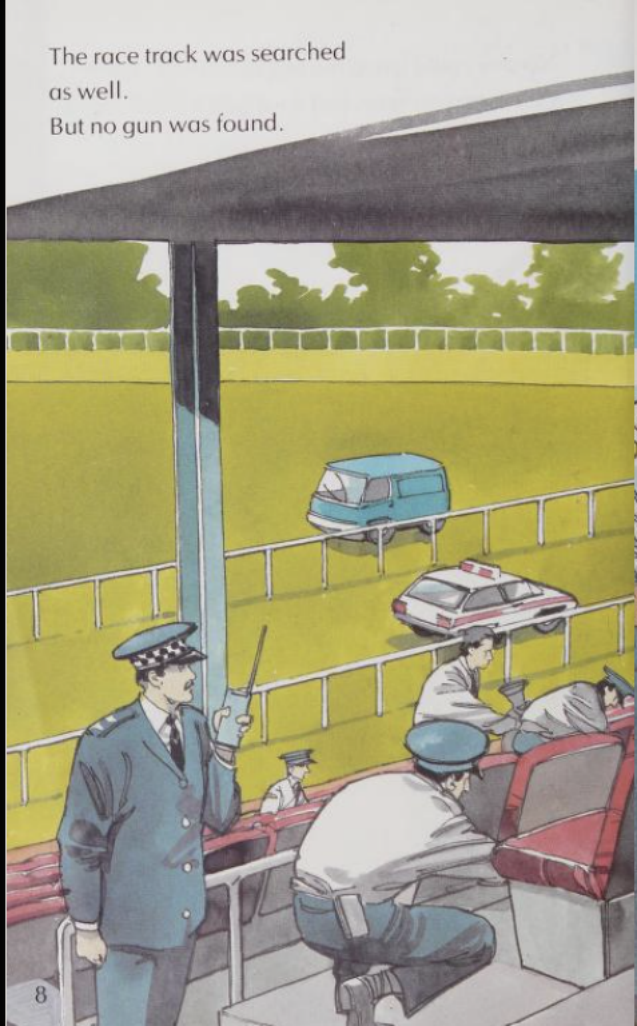
Big Ben was in front all
the way.
He was going to win.

Then there was a shot.
Big Ben's jockey fell.

Nick Dick ran to him.
But he was dead.

No one could leave the track.
Everyone was searched for a gun.

The race track was searched
as well.
But no gun was found.



How had Big Ben's jockey been shot?

There was no gun anywhere.

Everyone could now leave
the track.
Nick Dick left as well.

Nick Dick went to the BBC.
She looked at the TV film
of the race.

She looked at the film again
and again.
Then she had a hunch.

She went to the BBC van.
She looked at the cameras.

Then she arrested the camera man.
The gun was in the camera!

The camera man had meant to shoot Big Ben.
He had a big bet on another horse.

Nick Dick had seen a flash on the film.
She had solved another crime.

PAUL GROVES

I have been an actor, a teacher and a writer but my favourite so far is writing!

I started by making up funny stories for my own two children as I like to make people laugh.

I love the countryside and live in a village in Lincolnshire.

SKYWAYS

Nick Dick

at the Races

Big Ben, the race horse, is just about to win the race when suddenly his jockey is shot.

The police search the race track but no gun is found. How could it have happened? Nick Dick has a hunch...

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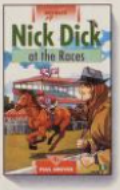

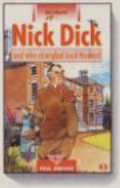

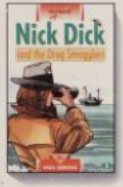

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